

IN THE UNITED SPATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Customer Number: 20277

Saichirou KANEKO, et al.

Confirmation Number: 4944

Application No.: 10/772,283

Tech Center Art Unit: 2826

Filed: February 06, 2004

Examiner: Abraham, Fetsum

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated July 13, 2005 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-3 and 8-20.

Appeal Fee:	\$ <u>500.00</u>
	Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).
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Respectfully submitted,

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